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## MERRY MAIDENS PROVOKE LAUGHS

Fun and laughter was the keynote of the entertainment given by the Merry Maidens on Monday evening last at the Union church. The evening was also a success financially, the girls having about \$35 to add to the funds already in the treasury. Miss Grace Tulloch, an old maid was excellent, and as a living example of never failing in love, she surely looked the part. The chorus supporting her was also very good. The Sunbonnet drill was the occasion for much hilarity and was well done, in spite of the difficulty some of the girls experienced in finding their notes with their handkerchiefs. The progressive reading caused some embarrassment to the listeners until they began to realize that each girl was unaware of the presence of the other. Mrs. J. Koloe and Gen. Jackson were captains for the pillow race which resulted in Mrs. Koloe's side being successful. Misses Louise Stevenson and Lucille Brackney, also Misses Grace Tulloch and Lucille Brackney gave splendidly rendered duets which were much appreciated. The auction sale was unlike the usual run of sales and each purchaser fully repaid for the expense he was put to. Rev. Mr. Collins acted as chairman in his usual jovial manner and added greatly to the success of the evening. The Maidens served a fine supper at the close and everyone declared it had been a grand and glorious evening.

C. S. E. T.

The Tuxis Boys met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Carter on Friday, May 26th, and spent an enjoyable evening. The program was one of general discussion with regard to the welfare of the Tuxis work, after this there was music, and sumptuous refreshments. Mentors, C. McCornick, and Rev. J. E. Collins were in attendance. The Rangers on Friday evening last, listened to a most interesting address on "Judith" by Rev. M. Peart. This address had been previously given to the Tuxis group, and was much appreciated by them.

One week ago, on Friday the 19th, the Rangers held their monthly social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Brewster. The boys played on the lawn for the earlier part of the evening, after which they betook themselves to the parlor and conducted the business and literary part of the evening's program. All the boys are undertaking special lines of C. S. E. T. work, success in which will entitle them to appropriate badges of honor. Mentor Rev. J. E. Collins was in charge.

### Union Church

Rev. J. E. Collins, Pastor

11 a. m., Sunday School.  
7:30 p. m., Evening Worship.  
Rev. Mr. Adams of Edmonton, will conduct the service and preach.

### St. Monica's Church

Rev. M. Peart, M.A., Rector.

Sunday, June 4th.  
Holy Communion, 8 a. m.  
Evening, 8:00 o'clock.  
Sunday School, 1:45 p. m.

### Local Baseball News

Mirror hung up another scalp on Tuesday evening, taking a game from Clive on their own diamond by a score of 11 to 3. Mirror scored five runs in the third innings by timely hitting and a few Clive errors. Cairns and Stacey garnered three hits each. Mirror secured 12 hits and Clive 4. Short for Clive knocked out a home run in the ninth with one man out.

Mirror players: Cairns, Bloomer, Stacey, Ray, Bisset, McCornick, Henman, Tulloch, Koloe.

## LOCAL AND DISTRICT NEWS

Mirror school board meets on Friday, June 2nd, at 8 p. m.

A good heavy downpour of rain would help in the district.

Clive baseball team plays here next Wednesday at 8 p. m. J. W. Hume and N. Spiece were Pouaka visitors on Wednesday.

Rev. J. E. Collins is away to the Methodist Conference in Edmonton this week.

Tanlac can bring health to you as it has to thousands of others. N. J. Devereaux.

You dear, old fashioned mother, you're just a little behind the times—that's all. Showing at the Grand Saturday night, June 3rd.

Bullivant's orchestra is giving a dance in the Grand on Friday evening, June 9th.

Mrs. H. S. Oldring is in Edmonton this week attending the Conference of the Methodists as lay delegate from the Mirror church.

A. J. Livingston, living near Ashland City, Tennessee, says: "I feel like going home to house and telling the people about Tanlac." N. J. Devereaux.

Messrs. G. W. Kohler, H. J. Kaymer, C. H. Estell and Jos. Aslett attended the Lacombe bull sale last Tuesday.

I tell you, Will, things have come to a pretty pass when girls eighteen years old want to educate their mothers. Showing at the Grand on Saturday night.

On Saturday afternoon, June 3rd, the Women's Auxiliary of St. Monica's, will hold a tea in the Library building from three to six o'clock.

She imagines herself a modern Queen of Sheba, with all the men subject to her enchantment. At the Grand Saturday night, June 3rd.

The Women's Auxiliary of St. Monica's church will meet at the Rectory on Thursday afternoon, June 8th, at 2:30. A full attendance is requested.

Don't let that sour stomach sour your disposition and make your life miserable, while Tanlac is ready to give you relief. Get it now. N. J. Devereaux. Ah, right, papa. But what a life modern women are forced to lead, with blue laws, prohibition and old-fashioned parents. Let's all go to the Grand Saturday night, June 3rd.

The ladies of the finance committee of the Union church will endeavor to clear off in the very near future a debt incurred in the connexional fund of the church, and with this end in view will hold a Jubilee Sale at the Library building on Saturday afternoon, June 17th.

We cannot forget "The Sleeping Beauty" the princess who was put to sleep by a bad fairy for one hundred years. On view at the Grand on Saturday night.

J. H. McLean and daughter Margaret returned Wednesday from a visit at Lethbridge, Medicine Hat and other points. While at Lethbridge, Miss Margaret took part in the Musical Festival and was amongst those who came fourth in the singing competition for girls, securing 68 points, this being three points below the winner.

On Wednesday afternoon while burning brush on the G. J. Estell farm north of Mirror, the wind changed suddenly and the Overland car belonging to J. J. Cairns caught on fire. The flames had gained quite a hold before being noticed, and there was a case of stamping powder in the car, it was not particularly safe to venture near for the purpose of extinguishing the blaze. The loss of the car, which was practically total is an unfortunate one to Mr. Cairns.

## Specials This Week

Watch Fobs, regular \$1.00	This week \$1.00
Auto Strip and Gillette Razors	.38
Nyn's Tooth Paste, regular 35c	.19
Witch Hazel Hand Lotion, reg. 45c	.23
Shaving Cream, regular 50c	.30
Mouth Organ, regular \$1.00	.30
Rubber Sponges	.19
Eversharp Pencils	.30
Rexall Tonic, regular \$1.25	.59

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Welch's Grape Juice, pint .50c  
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## Hail Insurance Board

on account of giving the protection at cost has, in the three years of its operation, saved the Farmers of Alberta considerably over

## One Million Dollars

in premiums. In addition to this the Board is commencing the 1922 season \$230,000.00 further ahead than they were when the Act came into operation. They are

## BETTER PREPARED THAN EVER

to handle your business this year. For particulars refer to your calendar, see the Secretary-Treasurer of your Municipal District, or write the Hail Insurance Board, 22 Canada Life Bldg., Calgary.



# Peace Between North And South Ireland Is Still Distant

Dublin.—Although Eamon de Valera in a statement to the press expressed a desire for peace with Ulster, he made it plain that his side still relies on force to resist force from the Orange side; therefore, no accommodation between the north and south would seem to be still far off.

Many northerners who had been appointed delegates to the Sinn Féin convention here were arrested on Dublin by roundup ways.

Army units have not yet been reached, but though there have been differences regarding ultimate control, the sides are expected to be proving of Edward J. Micaly as Minister of Defense. He was one of the authors of the peace agreement which is about to be generally discussed in London.

The four courts building is still occupied by the demonstrators but the temporary quarters have been removed. Mr. de Valera has visited the four courts and is endeavoring to promote fusion between the opposing sections of the army.

Arthur Griffith and Eamon J. Deagan, signatories of the Anglo-Irish treaty, have left Dublin for London in response to the invitation of Winston Spencer Churchill, Secretary of State for the Colonies, for a conference on the treaty.

Mr. Griffith and Mr. Deagan were accompanied by Minister of Home Affairs O'Donnell and Legal Aid Kennedy.

Mr. O'Donnell told the newspapermen that Collins would go to London later if necessary.

Cardinal Lewis, primate of all Ireland, while returning in an automobile from a confirmation service, accompanied by Archbishop O'Donnell, en route to the cathedral, was shot by a sniper's bullet near Armagh. The car and the baggage of the prelates were shattered.

London.—Prime Minister Lloyd George, acknowledging a message from the Welsh Nationalist party, said that Great Britain's struggle to solve Europe's urgent problems in a spirit of co-operation and peace was only beginning. He added that the Geneva conference had pointed the way and that he was confident the goal would be reached.

# Important Changes In Taxation Announced In Budget Speech

Ottawa.—Not a seat was vacant in the House when Hon. W. S. Fielding arose to present the first budget of the present administration, but the sixteenth as a Minister of Finance. When Mr. Fielding laid his budget statement, if years ago, his story was one of a bounding bull. "Today (as an aftermath of war), it was because of the gravity of the financial situation that he stressed the necessity of making his budget balance. He had reductions to announce in customs duties, but he had likewise some sweeping increases in taxation. He pleaded for the "deep and earnest" of economy; he urged that Members of Parliament and the people alike should pass a self-denying ordinance. "I would not, however," Mr. Fielding hastened to add, "have anyone draw the impression that take a gloomy view of the situation. There is, happily, a brighter side."

For the financial year 1925-26, the Finance Minister summarized the financial situation in this wise:

Estimated revenue, \$222,425,000; estimated expenditure, \$169,252,500.

The following gives the budget in brief:

Tariff reduction combined with increases in special taxes:

British preference increased on many items.

Few reductions on imports from United States.

Acts of last session regarding customs certificates, valuation for duties, and limiting depreciation on foreign exchange to 50 per cent. are all repealed.

Goods Marking Act repealed, but marking made permissive at option of Government.

Sales tax increased by 50 per cent.

Tax of 1 per cent. imposed on bank discount, in addition to income tax.

Five per cent. tax on profits paid to unlicensed insurance companies.

## Has Faith in Canada

Duke of Devonshire in Complimentary to People of Dominion

London.—The Canadian Club of Great Britain on Empire Day entertained the Duke of Devonshire, ex-Governor-General of Canada, at a luncheon which was attended by a good many Canadians and "ex-Canadians" now residing or visiting in London. There were present also Ambassador Harvey of the United States; Sir Hamar Greenwood, Secretary for Ireland; Hon. E. Shortt, Home Secretary; and Col. L. C. Murray, Permanent Secretary for the Board of Admiralty.

Sir George Brown presided in the absence of Hon. P. C. Larkin, who is in Geneva.

Responding to the toast in his honor, the Duke said that even the ten months that had passed since he resumed his residence in England had not robbed him of the optimism which he had brought with him. He was enough to talk about Canada's natural resources but the marvelous development of the country was equally due to the character of the people and its institutions.

## Serious Position Of British Aviation

France Will Have 226 Squadrons Against Britain's 12

London.—Major W. T. Blake, of the Royal Air Force, and Captain Norman MacMillan, who on the death of Sir Ross Smith took over the latter's place to fly around the world, were entertained at luncheon in London by the Daily News.

Lord Montagu, of Beaulieu, presiding, it was announced that a private individual was financing the expedition. Lord Montagu speaking of the serious position of British aviation said the end of 1922 would find the French with 226 squadrons compared with Great Britain's 12.

Estimates Passed Without Debate Ottawa.—Practically without discussion the House voted \$13,989,000 for the maintenance of materiel; \$11,900,000 for steamboat inspection; \$25,000,000 for meteorological service; and \$90,000 for the Royal Air Force.

## To Discuss Waterway Project

U.S. Notifies Canada that It Would Like to Open Negotiations

New York.—The United States administration has notified Canada that it wishes to open negotiations for the construction of the Lawrence-Great Lakes Ship Canal as soon as possible, a Washington correspondent of the Tribune declares in a cablegram. The correspondent says he learned that this request has been transmitted to the Canadian Government by Sir Auckland Geddes, British ambassador in Washington, at the request of Secretary of State Hughes.

"This is the latest step in the history of this project, so vital to many great lakes towns with visions of the future shining in their eyes," says the Tribune story. "President Harding became convinced some time ago that a treaty would have to be negotiated before any legislation could be passed. This decision was a rude shock to most of the advocates of the project, but it was inevitable. The States in the northern part of the middle west."

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## Drainage Work in Alberta

Thousands of Acres of Reclaimed Land Put Under Cultivation

Edmonton.—L. C. Charlesworth, Inspector and drainage commissioner for the Provincial Government, has returned from an inspection of the Holdren drainage system preparatory to taking over from the contractors. The work is practically completed and a good portion of the 12,000 acres of reclaimed land is already being put under cultivation.

The day's drainage scheme, which is now in process of construction and work will be carried out through the summer, with a likelihood of getting in nearly wholly completed this year.

## Fatal Canoe Accident

Two Men Drown When Canoe Overturns in Rapids

Winnipeg.—Overturning of a canoe containing three members of the forestry service, on Winnipeg River, above Marion Rapids, resulted in the drowning of two men. A first year student in the forestry school, University of Toronto, and Albert Hale, of Winnipeg, a canoe, according to word received here.

Another university student, N. M. Kessell, succeeded in reaching shore after making a valiant effort to rescue his companions. He held him until he realized they both would be drawn over the rapids, when he was forced to relinquish his life. French and Hale were swept over the rapids.

Murder of British Officer

Calcutta.—William Cave, a British officer, Assistant-Commandant of Police here, was shot and killed while returning home from a bicycling trip.

Six bullets of different kinds were found in the body of Mr. Cave, proving that there were more than one assassin. No arrests have been made.

Cave once belonged to the body guard of Viscount Milner, former British Secretary of State for the Colonies.

## WESTERN EDITORS



A. L. Eastler, Editor of The Sentinel, Sedgewick, Alberta.

## Saskatchewan Musical Festival

Splendor of Massed Choral Singing Subject of Comment

Regina.—Not less than 3,500 people gathered at the Stadium on Wednesday evening and in point of attendance the day may be said to have been a complete success in spite of the holiday rather than because of it. For trains both into Regina and out carried capacity crowds, and though hundreds sought rural refuge from paved streets, hundreds of others came to the festival—a proportion of them to take part.

The evening programme was given over to the final performance of the festival—the singing of the hymn "The Church of Christ" by the choir of the Orpheus Choral Society of Saskatoon.

Saskatoon carried off the most coveted honor of the 1922 musical festival, when the Orpheus Choral Society won the shield in the choral society contest with 173 points. The Mount J.W. Choral Society, conducted by W. H. Maxwell, came second with 170. The Regina Choral Society, conducted by P. Laubach, was given third place with 163 points; and the Regina Choral Society, conducted by Madame J. E. Morrie, was fourth, with 160½ points.

The splendor of the massed choral singing can best be imagined from the statement of T. Terlin Noble, who has shown no inclination to be overcritical of praise, but who said of this culminating production, "This is a festival chorus most undoubtedly and it is made up of magnificent material."

Post Office Will Issue Licenses Ottawa.—After June 1, radio receiving licenses will be issued through the post office department of larger cities as well as through the radio branch of the naval service department. Hitherto all licenses were issued through the latter department.

An earlier report that the issuing of the licenses will be turned over to the postal department is incorrect. The charge is \$1 annually.

German War Material Destroyed Berlin.—Up to March 1, Germany had destroyed 5,855,000 rifles and cap-bullets, 104,000 machine guns, 35,700,000 loaded shells and mines, 14,900,000 grenades, 12,352 airplanes and 24,045 airplane engines, according to official figures.

The United States is the world's largest consumer of crude coal.

COMING UP.

Washington.—Railroad freight rates in the United States will be reduced on July 1 by amounts equal to 10 per cent. of their present levels, under a decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Practically all classes and commodities of traffic are affected by the decision which marked the conclusion of the investigation begun last autumn by the commission, on its own initiative into the reasonableness of freight rates.

The cut in freight rates was fixed by the commission at 14 per cent. in eastern territory; 12½ per cent. in western territory; and 12½ per cent. in the southern and mountain Pacific territories.

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# Lloyd George Proclaims Policy Of Co-operation With French Democracy

## Temperance and Morals

Liquor Question Will Be Issue in Quebec Elections

Montreal.—"There will certainly be elections. I cannot say just when I hope they will come soon, but I certainly don't think they will be held either in June or July."

This was the feature of the speech made by Hon. J. J. Peron, Provincial Minister of Roads, addressing the members of L'Association de la Paix Libérale here. He added: "Whether the sale of liquor in this province is to continue under Government control or go back to individual vendors as under the old license system, is in my opinion the fundamental question and it is on this question first and foremost that elections will be held in this province."

Mr. Peron declared that alcohol in North America was necessary.

"We must have it, for it will do more good than any other thing. It is a secondary matter. It is a question of temperance and morals."

## End Occupation in July

Will Soon Withdraw Allied Troops From Upper Silesia

Paris.—The allied military occupation of Upper Silesia is likely to come to an end by the last of July, according to the report of the allied commission for the district which was presented by the council of ambassadors here. Fourteen thousand men of the allied forces are still in Upper Silesia. Of these 11,000 are French, 1,500 British and the remainder Italian.

The German and the Poles recently reached an agreement covering adjustments in the district and the commission now forecasts a complete withdrawal of the army within 60 days.

## Many Soldiers Have Abandoned Farms

Hon. Charles Stewart Says Number Tells Over Two Thousand

Ottawa.—Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of Immigration, stated in the House of Commons that there had been 2,252 abandonments of farms by soldiers.

The total amount of public monies invested in the abandoned farms was \$19,585,215. The amount invested in land and buildings was \$16,527,217. The return received was \$1,852,234. The amount invested in stock and equipment was \$2,957,998. The return received from the sale of the stock and equipment \$376,466.

New Tax on Cheques

Montreal.—The statement is officially made by the stock exchange that the new tax on cheques and stock transfers does not take effect until July 1.

The eating of asparagus tends to the prolongation of human life, according to some medical scientists.

Quakes Brawl on Daylight Saving Toronto.—Justice Latchford quashed the daylight saving by law passed in Kitchener, Ont., on application of a "man of the street."

Violence on Vancouver Island and the Gulf Islands, estimated at from 39 to 50 per cent. of the early boom, according to the local authorities, in some cases the damage was a good deal heavier, the report says.

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# Sir Harry Lauder Refers To Intense Loyalty He Found In Canada

Sir Harry Lauder was the principal guest of the Rotary Club of Montreal at the Hotel Cecil. About 400 Rotarians, many of whom were from the province and from abroad, were present to welcome the Scottish orator after his tour of 25 weeks in America and Canada.

Mr. R. A. Henderson, who presided, said that Sir Harry was one of the leading exponents of the doctrine of usefulness-of-service to the community—that went by the name of Rotary, which had now entered 30 countries, and had 100,000 members. Rotary had proved its way into every profession, trade and calling; it was international and not led by boundary or language.

Sir Harry Lauder, who wore a kilt, was received with loud cheers, and after drinking the health of the company he made a song, "Once every week, every week in the year," the refrain of which was "Having a smoke, having a smoke with your pipe and Rotary." When the laughter and applause had subsided, Sir Harry Lauder said that he wanted the Rotary movement to spread its tentacles in every direction; they were out for friendship and not battleships (laughter). In Canada, where loyalty was wonderful, considering the distance from these shores and the proximity of the great Republic of America, where there was a reciprocity of ideas and a similarity of customs in national life. Yet between the United States and Great Britain was a consciousness—a true comradeship—that constituted a symbol of friendship that was hard to beat. When he was there he did not feel that our Empire and the United States, standing together in confidence and regard could be broken. It was in the realization of this comradeship that he felt that the United States, standing together in confidence and regard could be broken. It was in the realization of this comradeship that he felt that the United States, standing together in confidence and regard could be broken.

The appointment of Lord Byng of Vimy as Governor-General of Canada had been much discussed. His appointment was an experiment, one was frankly with the work of a soldier, pure and simple, straight from the battlefield, who now filled that high post. The war was over, but the world was not at peace elsewhere; Lord Byng had proved himself a man of more than ordinary courage and nerve. If the world was showing her appreciation of him. (Cheers.)

When he was in America he had the good fortune to meet informally, and very intimately, President Harding; and he formed a very high regard for him as a statesman and a close gentleman. His countrymen had unbounded confidence in his courage and his capacity. He was much like President Harding and Mr. Lloyd George on the golf course. (Laughter.) He would say to his golfers, "If the world was over, that the peace of the world would be solved. (Laughter.) President Harding was a great sportsman, kindly, cheerful, and that was what we were wanting to do. (Cheers.) The name and fame of the work of Lord Byng in the United States and Canada was in great grateful esteem that he believed it amounted to hero-worship. (Cheers.)

Sir Harry Lauder concluded by singing his song, "Singing is a thing to make you cheery." In one of the verses he introduced the Prince of Wales, and on finishing he raised much laughter by turning to Vice-Commander Louis Greig and singing audibly, "Don't be so good and tell the Duke of York."

Mr. D. N. Barnes, M.P., thanking Sir Harry Lauder, spoke of him as being even more than a national institution—he was an international figure.—The London Times.

**Alberta May Have Pulp Industry**  
Whether or not a pulp industry can be established in the province of Alberta, using spruce and poplar timber from the near north country, will be made known as a result of a series of experimental tests to be made under the auspices of the Alberta Government's advisory committee on timber. Great stretches of small timber all over the north country and in the western foothills will be turned into profitable accounts if the experiments work out successfully.

**Encouraging Settlers**—With Capital Inquiry as being received by the Publicity Commissioner of the Alberta Government from the settlers in Alberta, Chief of the Middle Western States. Interest is displayed in all parts of the province. The Government is now making a wholesale immigration, but offers an encouragement to those who have sufficient capital to establish themselves.

## Send Dentist to the Arctic

Dr. W. P. Miller of Edmonton, Will Provide Relief for Toothache in Far North

Dr. W. P. Miller of Edmonton is going to the far north on a mission of mercy and will attend to toothache sufferers from Fort McMurray to the Ellis River post on the far eastern Arctic, says the Edmonton Bulletin. Up to the present time dentistry in the far north has been practised on a haphazard basis, the one relief from toothache or blackened tongue, to extract the offending molar and the men who plan the posts have until now been obliged to put an end to their sufferings.

Accordingly the Hudson's Bay Company has arranged free transportation for Dr. Miller, who will go north via the company's Alaskan and Mackenzie River service, returning by the way of the Behring strait and the Alaska coast on the company's steamer, the "Klondike." Should the amount of work on the Arctic coast prevent his making connections with the steamer, when outward bound, the H.B.C. will send the adventurous dentist over but by dog team via the Yukon route, but as Dr. Miller is going to the north via the Y.T. it is likely that this section of the journey will merely serve of "old times."

The company's employees at Fort McMurray will be first treated, after which the doctor will move down the coast, visiting his patients at Chipewyan, Fort Smith and other points, and on arrival at the mouth of the Mackenzie will possibly call on the "Lady Klondike" on her voyage to the Eastern Arctic, or failing that will go down on one of the smaller craft, the H.B.C. use on the northern sea.

## England Abolishing Speed Laws

But Will Increase Penalties for Dangerous Driving

England is preparing to abolish all speed laws for motor cars and drivers of other road vehicles. Enforcement of the regulations for dangerous driving and increased penalties for violation of the regulations are, however, contained in the report of the committee on taxation and road vehicles.

The speed limit sign, always an annoyance to the motorist, are to be done away with and in their stead is expected something along the following lines: "You like, but you'll be careful."

## Scientific Cookery

Tomorrow the sun will light that science transcends in throwing on the processes of cooking, the more certain it appears that as man advances in the use of vegetables and fruits, it is highly desirable to discuss with cooking together. We are not yet scientifically quite certain what our new friend the vitamin is going to do for us, but it seems quite clear that we are under the influence of his beneficent influences. We need to know a great deal more about the benefits and the methods of cooking than we do.—Boston Transcript.

## Demonsrated Value

Of Cow Testing

Domestic Dairy Commission Shows What May be Accomplished

The value of cow testing and recording as a guide in feeding for milk yield and in breeding out low producing cows from the herd is well illustrated by the officer in charge of the work under the Domestic Dairy Commission. In his report on the subject he gives instances of increase in annual revenue which illustrate what may be accomplished. In four years, he says, by adoption of the system, the Canadian Association in British Columbia increased the average yield per cow by 1,100 lbs. milk and 70 lbs. fat. This was in the period from 1914 to 1918, and in the latter year the increase meant at least fifty dollars more per cow than was obtained in 1914. In a locality in Ontario where the system has been followed for a term of years, the production of one herd, holding a number of grade cows, has been increased from 1,400 lbs. milk to nearly 15,000 lbs. per cow. The average of 57 cows in a herd in 1915 was 1,400 lbs. milk and 70 lbs. fat. In 1920 the average of 57 cows in the same herd was 2,500 lbs. milk and 114 lbs. fat. The average of 57 cows in the same herd was 2,500 lbs. milk and 114 lbs. fat. The average of 57 cows in the same herd was 2,500 lbs. milk and 114 lbs. fat.

## Mostly Farmers

Many Soldier Settlers Were Farm Laborers Before Enlistment

Major Barnett, chairman of the Soldier Settlement Board, giving evidence before the pensions committee of the House, said that of soldier settlers on the land to whom awards had been given, there would be only about five per cent. with no previous agricultural experience. Fifty per cent. however, were not on the land at the time of enlistment. In many cases men who were farm laborers before enlistment had taken up land for themselves. Payments in arrears at the end of the last fiscal year of the board were \$1,200,000 out of \$2,200,000. However, the board had also received over \$1,000,000 in prepayments.

The value of the land actually made was \$87,000,000. The amount had been advanced by the finance department. The highest peak in the sale of the finance department \$17,550,000.

## Canada's Wheat Crop

A Dominion Government return places the value of the wheat crops in the prairie provinces for the year 1921 as follows: Manitoba, \$35,250,000; Saskatchewan, \$112,880,000; Alberta, \$16,750,000. The values of other grain crops for all three provinces were: Oats, \$20,611,500; barley, \$17,000,000; rye, \$10,100,000; wheat, \$5,451,000. These figures are based on the value of the farm before marketing.

# The Farm Garden Is A Very Important Factor In Economy of The Home

## An Engineering Mystery

Iron Bar With Perforation Through Centre Stronger Than a Solid Bar

It seems impossible that an iron bar with a hole through the centre should be stronger than a solid bar of the same diameter, but this has actually been proved to be the case. A British firm has developed a very ingenious process of making what it calls a hollow core bar with this increase of strength. The hollow core is really a small hole which extends from end to end of the bar. Obviously it would be a very costly business to bore a hole through the bar, and in consequence this firm has developed a process of making the bar hollow without drilling. The mass of metal from which the bar is drawn is drilled in the first case, and the hole is packed tight with a special composition. The ends of the hole are subsequently sealed by a patented process of welding. When the mass of metal is rolled in the mill into a long bar the packing stretches with the metal and preserves the continuity of the hole. One of the most important applications of this hollow core bar is for mining drill where it is used for a current of steel, a jet of water to cool the cutting edge. Where water is used it converts the dust made by the tool into slush, before it can rise and be breathed by the miner. Thanks to this invention it is probably that the ability of miners to tuberculosis trouble will be greatly minimized.

## Alpine Club Meets at Banff

The annual summer camp of the Alpine Club of Canada will be held in the Palliser Pass in the Canadian Rockies. For three days and nights, or about 60 miles from the journey at Banff, from July 27th to August 15th. About two hundred members of the club from all over Canada and the United States are expected to attend. Several innovations in difficult mountain scaling will be introduced this summer, and the feasibility of scaling Mount Rogers, the highest peak in North America, will be discussed and tentative arrangements made for the feat.

## Settlers Working Reclaimed Land

Twenty thousand of thirty thousand acres of land of the Provincial Government, reclaimed when at the turn of the century, have been reclaimed and settlers have gone on the property and are making many improvements. The Yelder River has been diverted from its channel and turned into a high canal, three miles long. The balance of the work detailing will be completed by next year. It is said.

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## Friendless Flowers

It has recently been discovered that flowers, like human beings, have friends and enemies. The flowers that would like certain varieties are put together in a vase some of them will drop almost as soon as they are placed in the vase. A friendless flower, like a miser, will not live in company. Some flowers, such as the magnolias, the lilies of the valley, and the morning glories, have a bad effect on almost all neighbors, and are practically friendless.

## Gold in Newfoundland

Prospects for gold in the delta and banks of the waterways of the Northland are good, according to Carl Lund, a geologist of the province. He has prospected the western tributaries of Great Bear Lake and the streams flowing into the party of men who have been prospecting the Mackenzie River. They have taken up claims on the Yukon. Their claim to have struck gold is very strong. They would like to have a day for nearly a month.

## Canadian National Livestock Improvement Train



The above photo was taken a few days ago on the train which is being run by this train. At all stops where a forest has been taken by men, women and children who have turned out in large numbers.

These cooperatives in the undertaking of the Canadian National Livestock Train of Dominion Department of Agriculture, Manitoba Agricultural College, Breed Associations (cattle) for Manitoba, Winnipeg Packing Companies. The railway equipment supplied and operated by the Canadian National Railway, included special lecture coaches, cars for the conveyance both of pure-bred bulls and of demonstration animals, and cars for livestock demonstration work.

Livestock Demonstrations—Demonstrations given as to the actual values of various classes of cattle and pigs to the stockyards.

Women's Meetings—One car was devoted to meetings for women. Demonstration pictures on breed making, culling, etc. and lectures and demonstrations.

Boys' and Girls' Car—One car was equipped for meetings with the boys and girls. Lectures and demonstrations, illustrated with pictures and lantern slides.

## The Importance of the farm garden

There is a great deal of stress laid on the importance of the farm garden. There is altogether, too large a percentage of farms in the province where no attempt is made to have a garden. It is a general impression that the cost of operating a farm home can be greatly reduced by growing as much of the foodstuffs required in the home. A farm garden makes it much easier to supply a wholesome and diversified menu, and hence is an important factor in maintaining the health of the members of the home. Some of the chief advantages of a good garden may be summarized as follows:

## It is an evidence of taste.

It assists in reducing the cost of operating a home. It is a very expensive matter for a farmer to have to purchase vegetables.

It enables the use of an abundance of green foods, and thus has a very direct bearing on the health of those depending upon it.

Many of the vegetables produced in the average garden may be preserved for winter use by canning. This insures a supply of healthful food throughout the year.

A well planned and cared-for garden is a thing to be proud of. It is sheltered by a thrifty garden and contains fruit and flowers as well as vegetables.

It is a very essential part of the farm layout. It increases one's pride in his farm. It makes the farm more self-sufficient. It stops many of the avoidable leaks in the pocketbook. It lends the atmosphere of peace to the home.

The farm garden brings up the whole matter of beautifying the farm home. While a productive garden can be grown on almost every farm, it is much easier to make it successful if it is surrounded by a beautiful landscape.

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Professor Atkinson said: "You can not emerge from such an abhorrent scene of human agony and feel that the world is a better place. It is a terrible sight. The whole tragedy of Russia was summed up in the expression of that child's face."

Speaking on the question of responsibility for these conditions, Professor Atkinson said: "It is no use blaming the Soviet or anybody else in Russia if you want to do anything from a humanitarian standpoint. The Soviet is doing its best to keep the foreign organizations to deliver food and he could accuse them that all the food got to the children—every bit of it."

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## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The Shantung agreement negotiated with China at the Washington conference has been ratified by Japan.

Thomas Draper, Petrolco, Ont., has leased 1,920 acres of tar sand property in Alberta from the Federal Government.

The Polish Diet has enacted a law requiring an annual vacation of two weeks with pay for all industrial workers.

The police commission for the strict enforcement of the Lord's Day Act in Victoria.

A special despatch from Moscow announces the appointment of Leonid Krassin, Russian Bolshevik representative in London, as Soviet ambassador to Germany.

The ambassadors council has ordered the Bulgarian Government to proceed immediately with the disarmament of the Wrangels troops on Bulgarian territory and the dissolution of their military organizations.

Italy has agreed to restore to Germany for 800,000 lire all German property in Italy, seized during the war except some which has already been converted for public utility, says a despatch to the London Times from Rome.

It is announced that from April 1, 1921, to March 31, 1922, £5,680,000 has been collected under the German Reparations Act, of which £2,104,000 has been paid to the exchequer on account of the costs of the British army of occupation. The balance of £3,576,000 is in the hands of the Paymaster-General.

The first Jewish municipal bond issue in history, amounting to \$400,000, has been authorized by the Palestine Government for the township of Tel-Aviv, the self-contained Jewish municipality near Jaffa. The obligations are secured by taxation, the bonds being issued at 6 per cent, repayable in 20 years.

## Quick Work in Germany

Tree Being Transformed Into News-Print Paper Within a Single Day

Trees on which birds warbled their morning song are turned into news-print paper and sold as midday editions on the same day in certain towns of the Rhine district, says the Papierfabrikant, the leading German papermaker's organ.

The exact time taken in the process is 2 hours 25 minutes. The trees were felled at 7:30 a.m.; pulped and turned into paper by 9:30, rushed in a motor truck and one-half mile to the printing office and at 11 o'clock newspaper boys were crying the local sheet on the streets.

## CHILDHOOD INDIGESTION

Nothing is more common in childhood than indigestion. Nothing is more dangerous to proper growth, more weakening to the constitution or more likely to pave the way for dangerous disease. Fully nine-tenths of all the minor ills of childhood have their root in indigestion. There is no medicine for little ones so equal to Baby's Own Tablets in relieving this trouble. They have proved of benefit to thousands of homes. Conceding them Mrs. J. S. Lander, immediate Conception, Que., writes: "My baby was a great sufferer from indigestion, but the Tablets soon set her right and now I would not be without them." Baby's Own Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

**Soldier Settlers Increase Acreage**  
Last year's crop acreage put in by soldier settlers under the Soldier Settlement Board will be increased this year by more than 40,000 acres, according to the District Superintendent of the Board.

The acreage titled last year by soldier settlers was 125,000 acres, and this year it is expected to exceed 160,000 acres.

**Miller's Worm Powders** are the medicine for children who are found suffering from the ravages of worms. They immediately alter the stomachic habit and drive them from the system, and at the same time, they are found in their effect upon the digestive organs, restoring them to health, averting and ensuring immunity from further disorders from such a cause.

**Silver Fox Pelts**  
Of the total value of silver fox pelts produced in Canada in 1921, which amounted to \$432,150, Prince Edward Island produced \$243,084, or nearly 60 per cent. The value of the furs exported from Canada in 1921 was \$277,152.

As a vermicide an excellent preparation is Mother Graver's Worm Expeller. It has saved the lives of countless children.

In twenty dollar gold pieces one billion dollars if laid flat would form a line 1,000 miles long.

## Beecham's Pills

Keep you fit

Nothing New in Liner Luxury

Inventiveness of Designer Seems to Have Reached Limit

The steamer *Majestic* of the White Star Line, is the largest ship in the world, built in lines and tonnage. Her length is 556 feet, makes her 6 feet longer than the *Leviathan* and her tonnage is 1,700 greater than that of the *Leviathan*.

The most remarkable thing about this new giantess, however, is something that is negative. According to the dispatches from the other side, the *Majestic*, which is the first great passenger steamer to be designed to the end of the war, offers little new in luxury. She has everything that the imagination and ingenuity of man can provide for the seagoer, but no great innovation can be inventoried. Suites de luxe, swimming pools, gymnasiums—all these she has, but all these are familiar to the traveler who has used any one of the first half dozen of the liners.

Has the inventiveness of the steamship designer come to the end of the road? If there were anything new the *Majestic* should wear it, for in her are the British pride of ownership and the German pride of workmanship; for the *Majestic*, when her keel was laid, eight years ago, was intended to be the liner. A ship like this boasts everything in the way of comfort and pleasure that its size permits, nothing seems lacking except a regulation baseball field and golf links.

Speed used to be the constantly improving quality of ocean steamers, but the builders cannot hope to get much more out of the engines of the floating hotels than the twenty-five knots shown by the *Majestic* in her trials.

For speed we look to the air planes; the *Santa Maria* roared up from Havana to New York the other day in seventeen and a half hours, which is three or four times as fast as any steamship could make the journey.

And, after all, even if it could be done, what would be the joy of steamship to Europe in a day or two. Nobody can learn shorthand thoroughly in such a short time—From the New York Herald.

**Rush Work on Irrigation System**  
Two-thirds of the acreage set out on the Lethbridge Northern Irrigation ditch has been completed. About 1,400 men and 300 teams are now at work along the whole project waiting it to completion.

Sixty per cent. of the men are laid off, 55, but only 1 per cent. of the women.

## Feathers, Fringe and a Bag to Match Milady's Chapeau!



Pilgrims? There is nothing new about fringes. It has been used in every way and in every place under the sartorial sun, but so firm a place has it won in our affections that we must have at least a bit of it on some garment in our wardrobe. On the overdress of spring it lends an attractive finish to the bottom, as well as to the sleeves. It gives a suggestion of grace to the wharves of embellishments.

And feathers. As elaboration they date back no further than the Garden of Eden, but Milady 1922 affects them as often as the possibly can and loves them just as dearly as did Eve.

Neither is there anything particularly novel in the matching of the hat and the bag, but it is a pleasing fancy and one which is revived annually when March goes out like a lamb.

## A Few of the World's Lofty Peaks

Some of Nature's Most Gigantic Works Along Line of C.P.R.

The Canadian Pacific Rockies comprise some of Nature's most gigantic works. This can better be visualized when it is said that in the various mountain ranges that make up the Canadian Pacific Rockies, there are, according to Government measurement, no less than 598 mountain peaks over 5,000 feet in height above sea level.

The Government list includes only those peaks which bear names, and it does not pretend to include the innumerable mountains that have not been named or measured. Of those listed there are 515 over 7,000 feet, 455 over 8,000 feet, 221 over 9,000 feet, 147 over 10,000 feet, 41 over 11,000 feet, 3 over 12,000 feet and 1 over 12,000 feet.

A great many of these majestic peaks are visible from the train, while others may be explored at leisure during the stay at the many beautiful resorts such as Banff, Lake Louise and Glacier.

Low summer tourist tickets are on sale daily to Vancouver, Victoria and other Pacific Coast points, which allow stopover at any or all of the mountain resorts.

The trip through the Canadian Pacific Rockies to the Pacific Coast ranks among the finest in the world, with nature at her best during the summer months.

Four trans-continental trains each way daily will be operated by the Canadian Pacific Railway this summer through the Rockies, each equipped with open top observation cars. This service will include Canada's finest and fastest trans-continental train "The Trans-Canada Limited."

**Marquis Claims Baby's Cries**

The Marquis of Aberdeen was rudely interrupted during an address to the Scottish Mothers' Union in Ellen, Aberdeenshire, by a crying baby. The crowd edged as the outburst grew, everybody wondering what the Marquis would do, because he couldn't make himself heard.

At length he stepped from the platform, took the child from its mother's arms, carried it to and fro, cooed and coaxed it, quieted the storm and returned the child to its mother. He then resumed the platform and continued his address in peace.

Cheeses more than a century old are served by some of the wealthy Swiss families on the most important occasions.

Strikes fomented by the new labor unions are becoming common in Korea.

Minard's Liniment Lumberman's Friend

## HEART WOULD BEAT LIKE A TRIP HAMMER

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Mrs. Chadwick, Delhi, Ont., writes: "I had palpitation of the heart, and the least exertion, such as going upstairs or up a hill, my heart would beat like a trip hammer and at times I was dizzy-headed and had a sinking sensation for my time were wasted. A friend suggested I try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, so I purchased three boxes, and by the time the first one was used I began to improve. In all I took six boxes, and now although in my sixth year I feel like a young girl, in disposition, health and vigor, and can walk miles without fatigue. At one of sickness I weighed 120 lbs. now I weigh 160."

Price list a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The F. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

**Remarkable Generosity**

Sandy, the farmer, had been staying with some friends for about a month, and while he and his host were out for a walk one day they called at a house and found for a drink. As his host was about to pay for it Sandy stopped him.

"No, no," he said. "I'll not allow it. I've been keeping me in everything at my house for a month, and you've treated me to a thimble, and a cab and paid for all the drinks. I'll tell you, I'll have no more of it. We'll stop for this one."

In certain parts of Russia the mail is carried by buffaloes. This animal is picked for the service because of its very fine feet, which enable him to travel where horses would sink.

A modern battleship uses about 5,000 gallons of fresh water daily.

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MISS MARGUERITE K. O'LEARY, of Reading, Pa., who says she has gained eight pounds and can hardly find words to express her praise for Tanlac for the good the medicine did her.



"I am so happy over what Tanlac has done for me I can hardly find words to express my praise," said Miss Marguerite K. O'Leary, who lives with her parents at 1222 Chestnut St., Reading, Pa. "I was exactly what would be called sick, but for a year I had been all run down and sometimes felt so weak and miserable I could hardly hold up my head. I was so nervous the telephone bell or a door closing would startle me so I would tremble like a leaf."

"I needed something to build me up and give me strength and energy, and that is exactly what Tanlac did. It gave me a fine appetite and improved my digestion. I gained eight pounds, the color came back to my face, my nerves became normal and I soon felt as well as I ever did in my life. It is simply wonderful that medicine could make such a big change in any one. My friends and neighbors are surprised when they see me now, and no wonder, for I look like a different person. Tanlac is grand and I never intend to take a chance to say a good word about it."

Tanlac is sold by all good druggists.

**Eastern Syndicate Leases Oil Lands**

Twenty-five hundred acres of land at Peace Coulee have been secured under oil leases by an eastern syndicate, incorporated under the laws of Quebec. It is said that the syndicate is a close corporation, and that extensive development work will be undertaken during the coming season.

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**Earnings of Saskatchewan Telephones**  
The total net earnings of the Saskatchewan provincial telephone in 1921 was \$106,153. The total pole mileage of the provincial system is now 6,000, and the wire mileage 21,500.

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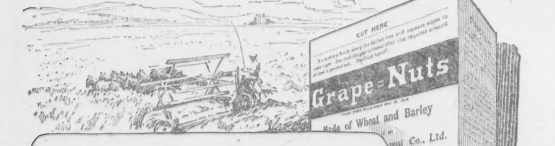
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## Re Hail Insurance

Dear Editor: The newspaper reports of the last annual meeting of the Hail Insurance District, held in March last, gave a very incorrect impression of the financial condition of the Hail Insurance District. One report was to the effect that the board would have to reduce its liabilities before it could resume business. Another stated that the deficit on last year's operations was \$1,000,000. Both these statements are entirely incorrect and very misleading.

The ability to "resume business" was never thought of, much less discussed, for the very excellent reason that business has not been suspended, nor is there any necessity or intention of suspending it. The damage by hail in 1921 was almost double the average for the last nine years and 50 per cent greater than the previous high record made in 1916. In spite of the record breaking amount of losses the Municipal Hail Insurance plan functioned without a hitch and is here to stay.

The actual deficit for last year

was \$274,742.00. This deficit was paid for out of the surplus of the two previous years and will have no effect on the rate to be set this year. This year's rate will depend on the amount of losses for this year, and on that alone.

I have taken the liberty to write you this letter because some of your readers, on account of the unfavourable impression they had received, might think it was not safe to insure again this year under the municipal plan.

The board wishes to assure every reader of this paper that the necessary credit for this year's business has already been arranged for, and the board is better prepared than ever to give their usual fair adjustment of losses and prompt payment of awards. They hope to be able to do even a little better this year than in previous years.

Yours truly,  
The Hail Insurance Board,  
E. H. MACCOLL, Manager.

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## GEORGE DISTRICT BUDGET

The "George Nine" journeyed to Bashaw on Wednesday evening to play a return game of baseball against the Bashaw Trail-Rangers but after a plucky fight were defeated, the score being 10 and 5. The George boys took exactly the same team as had played the Trail-Rangers on the George grounds three weeks ago, and thought probably the Trail-Rangers would have their same line-up or at least boys of their own age, but the opposing team was composed of boys some of whom had played in the older class, and in every case were senior or intermediate compared to the George boys. At both games a Bashaw man acted as umpire, and while we do not seriously question his decisions we feel that at least things should have been more evenly divided. At the time the Bashaw boys played at George, the ladies of the district served them with a good lunch after the game and took care of the visitors, but as soon as Wednesday's game was over, the home team hurried to the local restaurant for supper, and not one of them seemed to realize that the George boys ever ate a crumb of food during the game might have helped some. We thought that Bashaw was an hospitable town, but now we are beginning to doubt even this.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sutley and family Sundayed at the home of Mrs. Thos. Ferlin.

Miss Marion Wiggins spent last Sunday with Miss Helen Sharpe.

Mrs. Carl V. Neis is recovering from an attack of jaundice.

Geo. Neis is doing some breaking on his farm west of Mirror.

Allen Farley of Erskine, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Crooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cockrell and family, of Alia, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Land last Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Belts gave a delightful little party on Sunday afternoon in honor of the fourth birthday of her daughter Gerdeanne. The little folk spent the afternoon in games and other amusements and later partook of a dainty lunch.

Wilbur and Pete Mitchell, Lennie Clarke and Wayne Jewell spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. A. Bowley.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Brolman spent a couple of days last week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Docherty at Alia.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Neis and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Carl V. Neis and son, and Miss Nellie Helch, motor-d on Sunday to Poplar Beach and Point B.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Neis and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ray and family, and Oscar and Ole Johnson visited with Mrs. L. M. Bergner on Sunday.

George Peterson sustained a severe loss recently, the most valuable of his purebred Holstein cows having died.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Brewster entertained the Trail-Rangers of Mirror, on the evening of May 18th, and from all reports the boys had a swell time.

Two of the children of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Peterson are down with jaundice.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Sharpe entertained the Stettler choir on Sunday, May 21st. The choir sang in Bashaw in the evening, and spent the day at the Sharpe home enroute from Stettler to Bashaw. Mrs. Sharpe was formerly a member of the Stettler choir.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Crooks and Mr. and Mrs. Brooks motored to Poplar Beach in the evening, where they spent the day.

Mrs. and Mrs. Harry Choleen Sundayed with Mrs. T. Ferlin.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Flick were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Crutchedell, West Mirror.

Miss Docherty returned to her home at Alia after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Alex. Brolman.

## Tees News

During Walter McCleary's absence from the district for two weeks, the services at Tees, Rutherford, Gadsby Lake and Nebraska have been taken by the Rev. A. A. Adams, of Edmonton, and the attendance at all of them has steadily increased during the last month or so, owing largely to the faithful and persistent visitation of Mr. McCleary. Holy Communion was celebrated on Sunday last at Gadsby Lake and Rutherford there being a large number of communicants at both places. The Sacrament of Baptism was also administered at Rutherford, two children of Mr. Dick being present for baptism. Mr. McCleary has been in Edmonton, visiting his parents, and also attending the special evangelistic services being held in the city by Dr. Campbell Morgan.

Mr. Adams left for home on Thursday.

Tees Young People's Association has formed a baseball and football club and some B games are anticipated, practice being held every evening, even on the evening of the 25th. The president, Leslie Smith, is wearing a fine smile as he expects his club to knock spots off any rival club that may have the courage to enter into competition. The lady members of the club are looking basket ball. Some lively times are expected.

The R. A. C.

The Ripley Amusement Club held three meetings during the month of May. The first was at the home of Mrs. Geo. Bell on the 6th. A social and dance was planned but left over to a later date. The sewing class made quite a number of useful articles during the afternoon, after which the hostess served a dainty lunch.

The second meeting was held at Mrs. B. T. Curry's where it was decided to call a special meeting of the R. A. C. on May 27th, for any new society wishing to join. The sewing was then carried on as usual. Mrs. Curry served lunch at the close of the meeting.

On May 27th, a number of the young people gathered at the schoolhouse where six new members were enrolled. It was decided that a social and dance be given in the Ripley school house on June 2nd (remember the date). The girls brought refreshments and the remainder of the evening was spent in playing games, etc. The sewing class will meet at Mrs. L. S. Olson's on June 3rd.

Everyone is heartily invited to the box social and dance on the 2nd. J. M. Brindle, Secretary.

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Lake district held a very successful meeting at the home of Mrs. F. Fewkes on Tuesday, May 23rd. Six new members were added to the roll, fourteen ladies being present. Although recently organized the work is going ahead very successfully. Owing to the resignation of former vice-president, Mrs. F. Fewkes was unanimously elected to fill the vacancy. The Rev. A. A. Adams, of Edmonton, was

present and conducted devotional exercises. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Bell on June 6th, and a cordial invitation is extended to all the ladies of the district.

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